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SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE MEMBERSHIP IN UNITED NATIONS

1. BRITISH EMBOFF (MILLINGTON) INFORMED EA OFFICER 8/9/76 THAT VIETNAMESE CHARGE IN LONDON HAD CALLED ON FOREIGN OFFICE ON AUGUST 5, INDICATING THAT VIETNAMESE WOULD APPLY AGAIN FOR UN MEMBERSHIP THIS YEAR, BUT THAT VIETNAMESE CHARGE DID NOT KNOW WHEN APPLICATION WOULD BE MADE VIETNAMESE CHARGE REPORTEDLY EXPRESSED HOPE THAT HMG WOULD SUPPORT SRV APPLICATION. HE WAS INFORMED THAT WHILE FONOFF DID NOT HAVE FORMAL "INSTRUCTIONS" HMG IN GENERAL SUPPORTED UNIVERSALITY OF MEMBERSHIP IN UN.

2. ACCORDING TO MILLINGTON, HMG WOULD PROBABLY SUPPORT VIETNAMESE APPLICATION, BOTH ON GROUNDS OF UNIVERSALITY AND ON THEORY IT WAS BETTER TO DRAW IN OUTCASTS THAN KEEP THEM  
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3. MILLINGTON ASKED WHAT US POSITION WOULD BE THIS YEAR, INQUIRING WHETHER THERE HAD BEEN ANY PROGRESS ON MIA'S, FOR EXAMPLE. DEPT OFF REPLIED THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO PROGRESS ON MIA ISSUE, AND THAT HE COULD NOT AT THIS TIME STATE WHAT OUR POSITION WOULD BE ON POTENTIAL UN MEMBERSHIP FOR VIET-NAM. WE PROMISED TO KEEP IN TOUCH, HOWEVER. ROBINSON

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